

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP
OF BATHURST BURGESS SHERBROOKE

BY-LAW NO. 02-33

A By-law to amend Animal Control By-law No. 01-50 respecting the removal of animal waste from properties within the Township.

WHEREAS By-law No. 01-50 regulates the keeping of certain animals in the Township pursuant to the Municipal Act, Chapter M.45, R.S.O. 1990;


AND WHEREAS it is the Township's desire to implement set fines for the contravention of certain provisions;


AND WHEREAS, in the opinion of Crown Council of the Ministry of the Attorney General, certain clauses contained in By-law No. 01-50 require amendment to clearly define the offence intended;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Bathurst Burgess Sherbrooke enacts as follows:

1. That Clause 9 of By-law No. 01-50 be and the same is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following Clause 9
 - 9a) *Every owner of a dog is responsible for removing bio-waste (excrement/faeces) left by the dog on public property owned by the Corporation, unless specific written authorization to do so has been granted by the Corporation.*
 - b) *Any person who owns, harbours, possesses or is responsible for the care and control of a dog shall remove forthwith bio-waste (excrement/faeces) left by the dog anywhere in the municipality on public property and private property.*
 - c) *This section shall not apply to the owner of a guide dog while the dog is on a leash and actively in use in providing assistance to a legally defined disabled person.*
2. That By-law No. 02-25 is hereby rescinded.
3. The provisions of this by-law shall come into force and take effect upon the passing thereof.

Read a first and second time this 23rd day of April, 2002
Read a third time and passed this 23rd day of April, 2002



Mayor - *DE MARY*


Acting Clerk